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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

HUL Raymond A. In re Application of:

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DERIVATIVES, IMMUNOGENS, AND ANTIBODIES For:

FOR DETECTING ECSTASY-CLASS DRUGS

Art Unit: 1641

Mary Ceperley Examiner

## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR \$1.116

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Dear Sir:

This reply is in response to the Final Action mailed September 11, 2006 which has a shortened statutory period for response of three months that expires on December 11, 2006.

Applicant is submitting this amendment and reply prior to the 2-month deadline of November 11, 2006, with his request that it be considered by the Examiner.